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PATENT
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Christine RONDEAU)
Serial No.: Unassigned)
U.S. National Stage Application of:)
PCT/FR99/01865)
PCT Filed: July 28, 1999)
Priority Filed: August 19, 1998)
National Stage Entry: April 19, 2000)
For: DYEING COMPOSITION FOR)
KERATINOUS FIBRES WITH DIRECT)
CATIONIC COLOURING AGENT AND)
A QUATERNARY AMMONIUM SALT)

Group Art Unit: Unassigned

Examiner: Unassigned

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 3, line 11, delete "particular anionic surfactant" and replace with
--quaternary ammonium salt--.